

MAN MAY NOT LIVE BY BREAD ALONE, BUT SOME TRY TO GET ALONG ON CRUST.

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Drink Causes 5 of June's Road Deaths

Twelve persons died in nine Maine motor vehicle accidents during the month of June. This represented an increase of four over last June, when we experienced the average of eight deaths for the month.

These twelve fatalities brought the 1952 highway death total to sixty-two, one more than the number killed during the first six months of 1951 and five over the three year average of fifty-seven for the same period of time.

Two pedestrian deaths raised to twenty the number of those killed walking in 1952. Again, this compares unfavorably with last year's six-months' total of fifteen pedestrian fatalities and with the three-year average of seventeen for the first half of the year. In addition to the two pedestrian victims, five drivers and five passengers completed the toll for the month.

Eleven of the twelve deaths occurred in rural sections of the state, the only urban fatality being a five-year-old youngster who ran in front of a car.

Liquor has been a contributing factor in twenty of Maine's highway deaths this year, five of them in June. With four deaths attributed to speed in June, the total for the year charged to speed climbed to seventeen.

From the above, we must conclude that we should guard particularly against liquor, speed, and improper pedestrian actions. All indications point to a record-breaking vacation season in Maine. There will be more cars on the road and consequently more miles of vehicle travel. This, of course, will mean greater accident exposure. It will create a situation demanding a high degree of caution on the part of all who use the highways. The absolute necessity of careful, considerate, and conservative driving is obvious. It is almost inevitable that there will be a car approaching over the brow of that next hill or just around the curve ahead. People who find it necessary to walk on the highway should also be doubly careful during this period of heavy traffic. The accident potential is extremely high.

We urge you, drivers and pedestrians alike, not to trust anyone on the highways. Make it your business to look out for yourself at all times. Constant alertness in traffic is a small price to pay for privilege of staying alive. Lt. John Winter, Director, Division of Traffic and Safety, Maine State Police.

N. T. L. BETHEL CLASS CLOSURE

The final meeting of the Bethel Group was held Wednesday night and a discussion of group leadership. Director Lee Bradford recited the history, made up, aims, and accomplishments of the six years of training here in Bethel and expressed appreciation of the town's friendliness, tolerance and co-operation. In turn the group expressed its pleasure and benefit from the classes and its appreciation of the time and energy of the instructors. It was hoped by all that more townspeople would be interested in the year.

The Week in Oxford County

Hartford's school committee called a special public meeting at the town hall which was well attended. The superintendent of Union 32 announced it was decided a committee would be formed by school committee and selectmen to make plans for a consolidated school building and to report at the 1953 town meeting.

Max Janet Bean, Oxford, is an American-born son of Europe. Word has been received that she has arrived in Lisbon, Portugal. Miss Bean is a graduate of Gould Academy.

John Grover of Dixfield, a graduate of Gorham State Teachers College, has been named principal of the East Dixfield School. Mr. Grover has an antique shop in Orono during the summer.

Negotiations from May 12 to July 5 brought a vote on Tuesday by the Oxford Paper Co. employees to accept the new contract giving a 4-cent an hour increase, three new holidays, insurance adjustments—a 15 minute daily rest period for female employees. The holidays added are New Year's, Memorial and Thanksgiving Day.

Firemen's Association of Western Maine and Cumberland County held a joint meeting at Norway.

FRANK O. ROBERTSON

Frank O. Robertson died Monday night at his home on Chandler Hill after a long period of ill health. He was born in Bethel Dec. 28, 1887, the son of Edward N. and Cora Buck Robertson.

He attended the local schools and Gould Academy, where he was prominent in athletics and a member of the 1909 championship basketball team. He was a veteran of World War I and a member of the Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, Bethel Lodge, F. & A. M., and Fraternal Lodge, K. of P.

For over 20 years he was a service station operator in Bethel. Besides his wife, Mabel Bean Robertson, he is survived by two sons, Dr. F. O'Neill Robertson, of Cadogan, Pa., and Edward Robertson of Rockwood; three stepchildren; four grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at the Greenleaf funeral home this Thursday afternoon.

ONIEL W. BROWN

Oniel W. Brown died Tuesday night at his home in Norway.

He was born in Albany, Dec. 22, 1882, the son of Milford S. and Isabel Bennett Brown. At one time he was employed by the New England Tel. and Tel. Co. and the Central Maine Power Co. He was janitor at Norway High School the last 11 years.

Mr. Brown was a member of the Norway Methodist Church and the Oxford Lodge, IOOF, at Waterford. Surviving are his widow, Mearle Brown, whom he married Dec. 25, 1913; two sons, O'Neill A. and Wesley J. Brown, both of Norway; a brother, Arnel R. Brown, Bethel; a sister, Mrs. Millard Clough, Bethel; three grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p. m. from the Raymond funeral home. Rev. B. F. Wentworth will officiate. Burial will be at Norway Pine Grove cemetery.

FRED BARTLETT

Fred C. Bartlett died early Wednesday morning at the CMG Hospital, Lewiston, where he had been a patient six weeks, and after a two months' illness.

He was born at Newry, Oct. 7, 1863, the son of Elsie and Lucille Frost Bartlett, and had lived in Mechanic Falls 17 years, before that he lived in Bethel.

Only survivors are two nephews, Robert and Elmer Bean; and a niece, Mrs. Homer Smith, all of Bethel.

Funeral services will be held at the Advent Christian Church, Mechanic Falls, Saturday at 2 p. m. Rev. H. Nelson Hatworth officiating. Burial will be at Maple Grove cemetery, Mechanic Falls.

A. C. TO PLAY AT WEST PARIS SUNDAY—PLAY TWO AT HOME NEXT WEEK

The Bethel A. C. will travel to West Paris on Sunday and it is hoped by the management that more of the players will be present than there were at the Rumford Point game, July 6.

On Tuesday evening, July 22, Bethel and Locke Mills will tangle at Thurston Field in a play-off of their July 10 game. Game time is at 8 o'clock.

Next Thursday evening Rumford Point will furnish the competition in a 6 o'clock P. M. game at Thurston Field.

GOULD GRADUATES TO ENTER CLARKSON COLLEGE

Philip E. Lovejoy and John J. Willard will enter Clarkson College of Technology at Potsdam, N. Y., this fall. Their acceptance for admission was announced Monday by Loren E. Edwards, director of admissions.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon E. Lovejoy of North Waterford, Lovejoy will major in mechanical engineering.

Willard, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Willard of Bethel, will major in chemical engineering. He has been granted a \$1100 trustee scholarship by the College. This grant consists of \$275 per year. It is made on a term-to-term basis and may be retained by the recipient for the full four years providing he maintains a high scholastic average.

Both men were graduated from Gould Academy.

STROUD - PENNER

The Bethel Congregational Church was the scene of the wedding of Miss Amy Penner of Barnet, Vt., formerly of Bethel, to John Irving Stroud of Moorestown, N. J., which took place Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by the bride's father, Rev. William Penner. Mrs. Theodore Emery Jr. was organist and Miss Nancy Van was soloist.

The bride is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. William Penner of Barnet, Vt., and the bridegroom, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Franklin Stroud of Moorestown, N. J.

Given in marriage by her brother, William Penner Jr., the bride wore a gown of embroidered organza with fitted bodice, puffed collar and long pointed sleeves. Her full skirt was of chapel length. Her finger-ring veil of tulle cascaded from a wreath of seed pearls, and she carried a shower arrangement of white roses, stephanotis and ivy interlaced with illusion from her mother's wedding veil.

Miss Gertrude Penner of Barnet, Vt., sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a gown of blue-green organza over taffeta with a matching picture hat and carried a colonial bouquet. Bridesmaids were Mrs. David McAlpine Polg of Sharon, Mass., sister of the groom, and Miss Diane Howell, college classmate of the bride of Apple Creek, Ohio. They wore pink or- and gowns over taffeta with matching picture hats and carried small colonial bouquets.

Doane Clarke of Merchantsville, N. J., was best man and usher and were W. Franklin Stroud, father of the groom, of Moorestown, N. J., William Penner, brother of the bride, of Barnet, Vt., Rev. David McAlpine Polg, brother-in-law of the groom, of Sharon, Mass., and William Caldwell of New York City. Wilton Pyle, Sharon, Mass., nephew of Mr. Stroud, acted as ring bearer while his sister, Sharon Pyle, attended as flower girl.

Candelabra were raised against a background of evergreens and garden flowers. Flower arrangements were in charge of Mrs. David Howell of Apple Creek, Ohio. Following the ceremony a reception was held in the church parlors with Mrs. R. R. Tibbitts in charge of flower arrangements. Miss Mary Ann Myers had charge of the guest book and Miss Rebecca Philbrick, Mrs. Donald Walker, Mrs. Maurice Pierce and Miss Marion Warrell served gift table was in charge of Miss Alma Warrell also of Vermont.

The bride's mother wore a street-length dress of grey lace with rose accessories and a corsage of pink roses. The bridegroom's mother wore a street-length dress of blue silk shantung with a corsage of pink roses.

The bride was graduated from Gould Academy, Bethel, and Baldwin-Wallace College, Berea, Ohio. She taught kindergarten the past year in Camden, N. J. The bridegroom was graduated from Moorestown High School, after attending Admiral Farragut Naval Academy, from Rochester Institute of Technology and is now employed in the research department of the Atlantic Oil Co. Refineries in Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. Stroud and his bride left on a wedding trip which will include a cruise up the St. Lawrence River and on their return will reside at Moorestown, N. J.

MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Tyler are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Edith Christine, to Homer C. Smith, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith of Bethel. Miss Tyler has been employed at the Bethel Savings Bank since her graduation from Gould Academy. Mr. Smith is employed at Davis' mill. They will make their home in Bethel.

Green Pasture Judges School at Roy Blake's

LaForest Twitcheell, Bryant Pond; Merle Brown, Norway; Richard Fox, Fryeburg; Green Pasture Judges to go back to school, July 24, 25, Maine dairymen who are serving as county judges of the 1952 Green Pasture program will go back to school on July 24 and 25.

These outstanding dairymen will attend Green Pasture Judging Schools on those dates. The judges from Androscoggin, Sagadahoc, Cumberland, York, Franklin, Kennebec, Knox, Lincoln, and Oxford Counties will attend school at Roy Blake's farm in Bethel on Thursday, July 24. Judges from Aroostook, Washington, Penobscot, Piscataquis, Somerset, Waldo, and Hancock Counties will attend the school at the Alvin Lindsay and Sons farm in Carroll on Friday, July 25.

Both schools will begin promptly at 10:30 a. m. with a tour of the pasture plots, reports Ralph A. Corbett, Extension Service dairyman of the University of Maine. Richard F. Talbot, Extension dairy specialist, will be in charge. Those attending will bring their own lunches.

Roy Blake's farm is about three miles south of Bethel on Route 26 to Locke Mills. The Lindsay farm is about 23 miles East of Lincoln on Route 18 to Topsfield.

Blake's farming operation proves that a dairyman does not have to own much modern, expensive equipment to do an outstanding job of providing high quality roughage for his animals. Blake milks about 18 cows. He and his son operate a retail milk route. He does an outstanding job in rotation and management of pasture crops and was a state Green Pasture winner last year. He finished harvesting his first crop of hay early and sold a 10-acre field of hay standing to save room for his second crop.

The Lindsay's herd of 35 Holsteins averaged 555 pounds of butterfat last year. They plan to milk 55 cows this winter. A state winner for two years, the Lindsay farm placed first in Maine in the 1951 Green Pasture Program. Using a hay baler, a field chopper, and a mow hay drier, the Lindsay's had their sole full of grass and their home barn full of hay by July 2.

Corbett has announced that the final number of entries in the Maine Green Pasture Program for 1952 reached 492. This included eight entries from Central Aroostook County.

County judging of Green Pasture entries will begin on Monday, July 28, following the two judging schools. It will continue through August 9. By that time the state office must be informed of the top entrant from each county.

On Monday, August 11, the state judging will begin. The state judges will look over the best pasture program in each county in the state. State judges are all dairymen. They are Warren A. Brockway of Mills, chairman; Rex L. Varnum of Sebasticus, Ernest F. Addison, of Greene, Beverly P. Rand, of Sherman Mills, Alvin H. Lindsay, of Carroll and Fred J. Nutter, of Corinna.

The New England judging will be done between August 18 and 30, presumably starting in southern New England. Maine's representative on the six-man New England judging team will be Herbert A. Spikes, Leonard of Orono. University of Maine Farm Manager and associate professor of animal husbandry. Until recently Leonard was Extension Service dairyman. He previously served as Oxford County Agent for a number of years.

Mr. Stanley of Berlin was a caller at the Stanley home Sunday.

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BETHEL WATER CO. OFFICERS RE-ELECTED AT MEETING—SUPT. DOUGLASS RESIGNS

At the annual meeting of the Bethel Water Company Monday evening at the Community Room, the following officers and directors were re-elected: President, E. A. Van Den Kerkhof; vice-president, Thomas I. Brown; treasurer and clerk, Louis Van Den Kerkhof; auditors, Ernest F. Blisbee and Henry H. Hastings; directors, Nina H. Upson, Ruth H. Chapman, Herbert R. Rowe, Ernest F. Blisbee, Thomas I. Brown.

E. A. Van Den Kerkhof was elected temporary superintendent due to the resignation of Fred L. Douglas as of July 5, 1952.

COUNTY 4-H FIELD DAY AT BEAR POND JULY 25

Oxford County 4-H Field Day will be held at Bear Pond Park, Wednesday, July 23, and in event of rain, Friday, July 25.

All Oxford County 4-H members should register with Tina Kelleher, and the day's program is as follows:

- 9:30-10 Registration
- 10:00-11 Planned activities at the Park
- 11:00-12 Supervised Swimming
- 12:00-1 Lunch Period
- 1:00-3 Tractor Driving Contest Softball for any who wish to play. Planned activities.
- 3:00-3:30 Round-up.
- 3:30 Field Day comes to close.

There will be awards for the club travelling the farthest distance; the club with the highest per cent. attending; the club which has the largest number attending. There will be a tractor driving contest for those members enrolled in the tractor project. The two winners from Oxford and Twin Counties will take part in the State Tractor Driving contest at Orono Thursday, August 21.

It will be necessary to have permission for swimming signed by the parents in order to relieve the Oxford County Extension Association from direct liability.

BOOKS RECEIVED AT BETHEL LIBRARY

Non-Fiction
Time to Remember Lloyd Douglas
I Led Three Lives

Dance to the Piper Agnes deMille
Windows for the Crown Prince Elizabeth Gray Vining
Through Charley's Door Emily Kimbrough

Who Lived Here
Living with Our Children M. A. DeWolfe Howe
Lillian M. Gilbreth

Rag Tag and Bob Tail Lynn Montrose
The American Revolution
The Healing Woods Martha Roben
Eleonor and Aquilane and the Four Kings Amy Kelly
Fictions

The Host Rock Mary Frances Donner
Brace Interval Elizabeth Yates
La Hornblower C. S. Forester
Eastside General

Touched with Fire John Tebbel
Beyond the Breakers Sara Ware Bassett
Windows Way James Uhlman
The Houses in Between Howard Spring

Consumers Reports received monthly.
Consumers Guide for reference.

ROY SUFFERS HAND INJURY

Stephen Carter, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carter was painfully injured this Thursday when his hand was mangled by a hay rake.

Mrs. Charles H. Thompson of Lewiston is visiting several weeks with her son, David Thompson.

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LIGHT LUNCHEES
—
HOMIE MADE PIES
a specialty
—
Italian Spaghetti on Thursdays
—
Kozy Korner

NOTICE
Bethel Water Company rules limit the use of hose to two hours per day. Please observe this rule, and there will be plenty of water for all.

BETHEL WATER CO.

Need More As Air Observers

The Bethel observation post opened at 8 o'clock Monday morning for an indefinite period. Although there are about 70 volunteers for duty there to date, many more are needed. Raymond Dexter is supervisor of the post.

RED CROSS BLOODMOBILE RETURNS

Appointments for blood donations at the Norway Methodist Church on Tuesday, July 22, have been arranged for the following public spirited Bethel folks: Emily Saunders, Connie Thurston, Frank Nary, Barbara Douglass, Sude Van-chon, Stanley Davis, Lynn Bennett, Elizabeth Jordan, Avery Angeline, Rodney Howe, Polly Myers, Frances Fowler, Edwin Hutchinson, Irene Hutchinson, Lyle Peachey, Ansley Peachey, and Jane Kneeland.

The Chapter is still short of its quota and more volunteers are needed, especially for early afternoon. Please phone Phyllis Howe, Tel. 87.

McINNIS - STEVENS

At St. Catherine's Church, Norway, on July 4, Miss Norma Elaine Stevens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Emery of Bryant Pond, became the bride of Merle R. McInnis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice McInnis of Bethel. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Brady.

The bride's gown was of white satin with cathedral veil and she carried a bouquet of pink and yellow roses with ivy. The maid of honor, Miss Juliette Roy of Augusta, was groomed in aquamarine lace, carrying a colonial bouquet of yellow roses.

The bride's mother wore a gray suit and the groom's mother wore a lilac dress. Both wore white accessories and had corsages of red roses. The groom was attended by Donald Brown of Augusta as best man.

A reception was held at the home of the groom in Bethel. After the first piece was cut by the bride and groom, the cake was cut by Miss Juliette Roy and served by Mrs. Stanley Stevens. A buffet lunch was served. Serving refreshments were David Kneeland, Henry Chapman, Stanley Stevens, and Mrs. Jennie Paulsen. The gift table was in charge of the Misses Lucile and Elizabeth York and the guest book was in charge of Mrs. Norma Chapman.

Leaving for a honeymoon trip to the Pacific of Quebec, the bride wore a navy blue suit with white accessories.

Mrs. McInnis was born in Locke Mills and attended Woodstock High School. Mr. McInnis was born in Augusta and was graduated from Orono High School August 1.

Relatives attending from out-of-town were Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Emery and son Howard Emery and family. Mr. and Mrs. Sherbourne York and daughter, Miss Lucella Lord, Mrs. Hazel Strout and son, Rusty. Miss Mary Stuart Farum, Miss Sylvia Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. McInnis and daughter, Sally, Miss Beverly Cox, all from Bryant Pond; Miss Juliette Roy, Donald Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fontaine and son, Philippe. Mr. and Mrs. Rene Fontaine and family. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stevens and family. Mr. and Mrs. Emily Fontaine. Mrs. Jennie Paulsen, all from Augusta. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Charpester and son, Gary, from Hallowell. Miss Mary Ann Ward, Portland. Albert and Ashley Allen, Sumner. Attending the reception were 75.

Summer Sale at the Methodist Church SAT. JULY 19th at 2 p. m.

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CARDS and STATIONERY
CHILDREN'S WEAR
WHITE ELEPHANT TABLE

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When Will Stalin Strike?

Our nation's efforts to secure world peace occupies the prominent position on the 1952 political stage. Major personalities of both political parties place that objective first. Communism on the other hand, is dedicated to making war to the violent overthrowing of the non-Communist world. But a great many American citizens and an astonishing number of political leaders do not yet recognize the major factors governing Russia's planning for world domination.

Communism Russia will launch an all-out attack only when two conditions prevail in America: (1) when it is certain that American industrial production can be supplied for a considerable time through Fifth Column and Russia strikes sabotage, etc., and (2) when the people of America have been so scared away from their support of the last principle of private ownership of property and the loss of production that they will offer little resistance to the destruction of the American Republic.

Stalin's Realist
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DALE CARNEGIE

AUTHOR OF "HOW TO STOP WORRYING AND START LIVING"

Serving Others Dispels Fright

TWELVE YEARS AGO, says Miss Marguerite Perry, Clanton, Alabama, she met one of the most desperately unhappy boys she has ever known.

She was working at the Alabama Baptist Children's Home in Troy, when there came a knock on the door of her room. Opening it she found a young lad of 14, whom we will call John, who lived in one of the nearby cottages.

The boy was very much upset and could not control his tears. She invited him in and persuaded him to talk with her, only to learn that he was in such distress that he wasn't sleeping at night. He didn't really want to talk over what troubled him, but she induced him to tell her what was worrying him, saying she couldn't possibly help him unless she knew the source of his distress. Finally, after she had made him realize that she was his friend and that she would consider his story confidential, he said that he could not think of anything else at night except a scene in which he saw his father kill his mother and then kill himself.

Miss Perry made him realize that this was something in which he had had no hand and told him there was just one way to overcome his distress: to do something for someone else every time the subject came to his mind. She encouraged him to go on long hikes on Saturday afternoons, and during the rest of the week to live himself physically so he would fall asleep despite himself. And that was all; advice so simple that anyone could follow it.

Shortly after that, Miss Perry left and began teaching in Clanton. To her great and happy surprise one day she found John singing in one of the church choirs, being enrolled as a student in the University engineering school. He had conquered his worry and his sleeplessness, and had achieved a peaceful mental attitude in doing for others.



Carnegie

Economic Highlights

Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual — National and International Problems Inseparable From Local Welfare

It doesn't always pay to be a top-flight Communist, it may, indeed, lead to swift oblivion. That is the gist of an article in the June 20 issue of U. S. News & World Report which starts: "It is beginning to dawn upon Communist leaders outside of Russia that maybe there isn't much future in their job. Competition for the No. 1 spot in the Communist hierarchy is becoming a deadly game."

The article deals with what has happened to many a one-time Communist big shot who for one reason or another disappeared the night before last. As a typical example, the right-wing career of (Communist) X is given. As a youth he talked and acted in a socialist manner, but in the end he was a capitalist.

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ant figure in it, and is instrumental in turning it Communist. He spends several years in a Balkan prison as a convicted revolutionary. On his release he goes to Russia, meets Stalin, and is given intense Communist training. He goes back home as a party organizer and serves some more time in prison. He spends the war as a guerrilla leader and afterwards plays a major role in turning his country over to Communism and Kremlin domination. Then he makes a slip and execution follows, perhaps after a short prison trial.

U. S. News cites a number of cases, past and current, in which this pattern has been followed almost to the letter. Rudolph Slansky did a great job for Communism in the Czechoslovakia sell-out—he's now awaiting trial for treason and just did not need to be much of an expert to forecast what his end will be. Traicho Kostov did the party's

work in Bulgaria—he was hanged a year and a half ago after being charged with plotting against the Communists. Laszlo Rajk served the Kremlin well in Hungary, then made what Stalin regarded as a mistake and also wound up at the end of a rope.

An interesting case is Rumania's incredible Ana Pauker, who once was one of the most revered of all non-Russian Communists, and who was practically a buddy of Stalin's. As U. S. News says, "She was so faithful to the party line that people joked about it—she carried an umbrella in sunny Bucharest every time it rained in Moscow."

It is generally believed that she had her husband executed for deviating from that line. Now she has been accused of similar deviations and has been fired as Rumania's party leader. It hardly seems likely that Mrs. Pauker has a very bright future to look forward to.

Many pages could be given to listing the names and records of people who faithfully and fanatically carried out Stalin's orders, who slipped, or, in the Kremlin's view, lost their usefulness, and were then accused, imprisoned, and finally executed by their ex-friends. Just how dampening an effect this may have on the Communists who are still in power in the satellite nations is one of those questions that no one can answer exactly. But even the most zealous Communist must have some of the normal human emotions, and it seems only reasonable that they

is usually the case, for six months the congress flitters away long hours on useless debate and then comes down to the last week and passes a whole raft of measures of which 75 per cent of the membership does not know the content. On the huge money appropriations, over which they have wrangled all day long, huge sums are added to the total and a mere handful of one house or the other really by voice vote after hearing reports of the conference committees.

The House really went wild on the control bill, and was halted only by the Senate just as it happened in the passing of the 1951 version of the defense production act. There were many amendments, slashes, cuts, contradictions, and the conference committee worked long hours in bringing some semblance of order to the weakened bill. While it was far from the administration bill presented, it still gave controls over prices, rents, credits and allocations for another 10 months. As it left the House, it was a little shy in the hands of the administration, since the House had killed price controls but kept on wage controls, thus lifting the lid on everything the working man has to buy but keeping a lid on his wages. . . . and that act may have repercussions in many labor centers in the coming election.

Overriding veto of the McCarran bill on immigration was a little pill for the President to take, the proponents winning by one vote over the necessary two-thirds. While the President admitted there were some good features to the bill he said they were so embedded in un-American and other bad features it was impossible for him to sign it. However the bill became law, at least until the next congress.

looks by Rodens, and Matt Civile's story. But it is even more important to understand Americanism. know the advantages of the American system, and understand what makes it tick. The informed citizen must then publicly challenge all activities undermining confidence in the basic American principles. Write me, at Harding College, P.O. Box 100, Little Rock, Ark. 72202, for a free copy of our new booklet, "A Plan for Americans."

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CHICAGO, HERE WE COME



work in Bulgaria—he was hanged a year and a half ago after being charged with plotting against the Communists. Laszlo Rajk served the Kremlin well in Hungary, then made what Stalin regarded as a mistake and also wound up at the end of a rope.

An interesting case is Rumania's incredible Ana Pauker, who once was one of the most revered of all non-Russian Communists, and who was practically a buddy of Stalin's. As U. S. News says, "She was so faithful to the party line that people joked about it—she carried an umbrella in sunny Bucharest every time it rained in Moscow."

It is generally believed that she had her husband executed for deviating from that line. Now she has been accused of similar deviations and has been fired as Rumania's party leader. It hardly seems likely that Mrs. Pauker has a very bright future to look forward to.

Many pages could be given to listing the names and records of people who faithfully and fanatically carried out Stalin's orders, who slipped, or, in the Kremlin's view, lost their usefulness, and were then accused, imprisoned, and finally executed by their ex-friends. Just how dampening an effect this may have on the Communists who are still in power in the satellite nations is one of those questions that no one can answer exactly. But even the most zealous Communist must have some of the normal human emotions, and it seems only reasonable that they

is usually the case, for six months the congress flitters away long hours on useless debate and then comes down to the last week and passes a whole raft of measures of which 75 per cent of the membership does not know the content. On the huge money appropriations, over which they have wrangled all day long, huge sums are added to the total and a mere handful of one house or the other really by voice vote after hearing reports of the conference committees.

The House really went wild on the control bill, and was halted only by the Senate just as it happened in the passing of the 1951 version of the defense production act. There were many amendments, slashes, cuts, contradictions, and the conference committee worked long hours in bringing some semblance of order to the weakened bill. While it was far from the administration bill presented, it still gave controls over prices, rents, credits and allocations for another 10 months. As it left the House, it was a little shy in the hands of the administration, since the House had killed price controls but kept on wage controls, thus lifting the lid on everything the working man has to buy but keeping a lid on his wages. . . . and that act may have repercussions in many labor centers in the coming election.

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must occasionally wake up sweating after dreaming of what has happened to colleagues and predecessors.

The U. S. News article ends on this note: "A biographer quotes Stalin as having said: 'To choose

one's victims, to prepare one's plans minutely, to shake an implacable vengeance and then go to bed—there is nothing sweeter in the world.'"

"Whether or not he actually said it, that's the way it works out."

ACROSS the DESK

Ideas from other editors

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Round Mountain Grand held their regular meeting evening, July 7. After the meeting Bingo was enjoyed, refreshments of candy and corn were served.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles from Ponkapong, Mass., today night dinner guests and Mrs. Harry Spring.

Recent callers of Mr. John Meserve were: Charly of Lovell, Mrs. Isma from Winterpark, Fla., Viola Hatch and sister Fred.

Mrs. Laura Pinkham today for work at Bethel. Mrs. Arline Leighton Sarah Andrews were picknicking at Edmund Smith's Bethel, Thursday.

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ALBANY HUNTS CORNER—AND VICINITY—

Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, Corres.

The church service Sunday forenoon was conducted by the Rev. Alvin Strong with a congregation of fifteen.

Round Mountain Grange No. 182 held their regular meeting Monday evening, July 7. After the business meeting Bingo was enjoyed and refreshments of candy and popcorn were served.

The Ladies' Extension Group met with Mrs. Alta Meserve Wednesday afternoon, July 9. The subject was Christmas Suggestions with the chairman as leader. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Melba Hall. She was also presented a birthday cake which was furnished by her daughter Athalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Hutchinson entertained the members of Round Mountain Grange Sunday, July 13, with a picnic at their camp, Wells. On the Mystery Hunt, Mrs. Alta Meserve was the winner and Mrs. Lilla Stearns won the Booby Prize. The memory test was won by Mrs. Edith Stearns and the Booby Prize was won by Roy Wardwell.

Recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. John Spinney were: Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Kimball, niece and family from Gorham, Maine, and Mr. and Mrs. William Hadley from Brunswick.

Miss Sylvia Bird has returned from her vacation which she spent at Hampton and York Beaches and Boothbay Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Aylward from Ponkapoag, Mass., were Saturday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Spring.

Recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. John Meserve were Charlotte Leavitt of Lovell, Mrs. Irma Bachelder from Winterville, Fla., and Mrs. Viola Hatch and sister from Portland.

Mrs. Laura Pinkham left Saturday for work at Bethel Inn.

Mrs. Arline Leighton and Mrs. Sarah Andrews were picking strawberries at Edmund Smith's at West Bethel, Thursday.

Mrs. Arline Leighton and daughter, Lorraine, were in Lewiston, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Janice Stearns spent Saturday night at her home.

Miss Phyllis Keniston from New York visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews, Sunday.

Mrs. Lilla Stearns has been spending a few days with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens.

Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews were: Mrs. Walton Corbett, daughter Beverly, and grand-daughter, Brenda, from South Paris and Mrs. Clayton Bano and children, Douglas and Ronald, from Bethel.

Miss Asahine Hall spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Angus Cameron at Jefferson, N. H. Mrs. Cameron returned with her Sunday to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hall.

Mrs. Ella Davis, Charles Davis, and Mrs. Emma Gordon of Lovell, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gray from East Fryeburg called at their brother, John Meserve's, Sunday.

Recent callers at Harlan Bumpus were Mr. and Mrs. John Spinney and Dickie Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Erlon Keniston, and George Logan.

Mr. Pinkham was a recent caller at L. J. Andrews.

Miss Athalia Hall has employed at Bethel Inn.

WEST GREENWOOD

Mrs. Paul W. Croteau, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Zarba, their children, Ann Marie and Charles, with Miss Lorraine Cassidy, all of Watertown, Mass., are enjoying a week's vacation at Paul Croteau's.

Miss Wilma Croteau and Carroll Ham of Rochester, N. H., were guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. George Williams is ill at this writing and under the doctor's care.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Zarba, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Croteau Sr., and Mrs. Paul Croteau Jr., accompanied Pvt. Paul Croteau Jr. and Pvt. Maurice Gelliste of Rumford to Portland, Tuesday to take a plane back to their base in San Mateo, California.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hancock of West Bethel were in this vicinity Monday evening.

MAYOR MCGUP

By John Jarvis

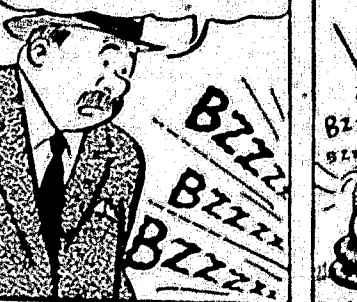
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DON'T KILL IT, MADAM! SNAKES EAT INSECTS!



I NEVER COULD SEE WHY WOMEN FEAR SNAKES. I'LL PICK THAT VIPER UP, TAKE IT HOME, PUT IT IN MY GARDEN, AND—



—AND YOU CAN GIVE ITS RATTLE TO YOUR GRANDCHILDREN!!

**GREENWOOD CITY**

Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres.

The Community Club recently enjoyed a wine and cheese social at the Club house.

Mrs. Roland Hayes and Mrs. Clyde Morgan were in Lewiston on Tuesday.

Mrs. Leonas Holt and children went with Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Chase to Bear Pond on Sunday.

Mrs. Maud Cole of Portland has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Roland Hayes, this week.

Mrs. Wilbur Yates, Maud Cole and Doris Hayes called on friends at Locke Mills on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan were callers at Carroll Nottage's, South Paris, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kusti Tamminen celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at their home on July 6th. Many relatives and friends were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Millett were given a surprise party for their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary on July 6th. They were presented with a floor lamp, table lamp, a salad dish, two silver table spoons, an electric coffee maker, and a purse of money.

A buffet lunch of sandwiches, cakes and punch was served.

Those present were their daughter, Alta, their son, Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Montie Millett and Irene, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Oldham and David Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Tucker and Darlene, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Soule, Nancy and Daniel, Estella Spencer, Carrie Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Robinson, Merle, Shirley, Ruth and Herman, Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Dinardo, Mr. and Mrs. Avon Verge, Sharon, April and Linda Colista Morgan, Lois Yates, Evelyn Kuvaja, Rena Curtis, Wesley Pierce, and Mr. and Mrs. Colby King.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Annette Hillon, Corres.

Patsy Davis is spending two weeks with her aunt and family, Mrs. Marlon Whittemore at Livermore.

A wedding reception was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mullen at Union Church on Wednesday evening, July 9th. There were about seventy-five guests present, a short program was given and many nice gifts were received. Refreshments of cake and punch were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis of Freeport, were recent guests of their niece, Mrs. Gerald Davis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Andrews and Orman and Miss Ethel Davis spent several days at Eureka Lodge in Sumner last week.

Mrs. Velma Davis and daughter, Geraldine, were with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Bran, at Freeport last week.

BRYANT POND

The second in a series of Child Health Conferences for pre-school children of Woodstock will be held at the Social Hall Tuesday, July 22 at 9:30 a. m. A complete physical examination will be given and immunization offered for diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus as well as vaccination against small pox. It is hoped that all children entering the sub-primary school this fall will have a physical examination during these conferences. They will be in charge of Eleanor Meserve, R. N., assisted by Eva B. Twitchell, R. N., and with Dr. Nangle in attendance.

NORWAY CENTER

Rev. John Felmeth and family from Long Island are vacationing several weeks at Camelot, the Felmeth's summer home.

Richard Watson has been hoeing crops for Frank Noyes.

Frederick Cahoon of New York City has sold his cottage on the west side of Lake Pennesseewassee to Chester Kingsbury, of Ellsworth, N. J., who will arrive with his family this week.

Sheriff C. C. Hunt was at his farm here in the neighborhood the week end.

Pine timber is being cut on the Morton Woman lot situated on the Merrill Hill road.

William Thurston left Sunday for Orono to attend Boys' State as a representative of Norway High School.

The first of the summer services will be held at the First Congregational Church at Norway Center, July 2 with Rev. John Felmeth as the speaker.

A special town meeting was held Monday evening, July 14, for the purpose of voting on an Industrial Arts course. The small group in attendance voted to maintain the course in Norway and to build a one-story masonry building in which to house both the Industrial Arts and Agricultural Shop Courses.

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Sporting Goods

Bob's Sport Shop

BULLETIN ON FREEZING FOODS OFFERED

Maine homemakers who use home freezers or freezer lockers will want to ask for free copies of Maine Extension Service Bulletin 420, "Preparing Foods for the Home Freezer."

Written by Dr. Kathryn E. Briven, Extension foods specialist, the leaflet covers methods of preparing fruits, vegetables, juices, and meats for the freezer. Copies may be obtained from county home demonstration agents or by writing the Agricultural Extension Service, University of Maine, Orono.

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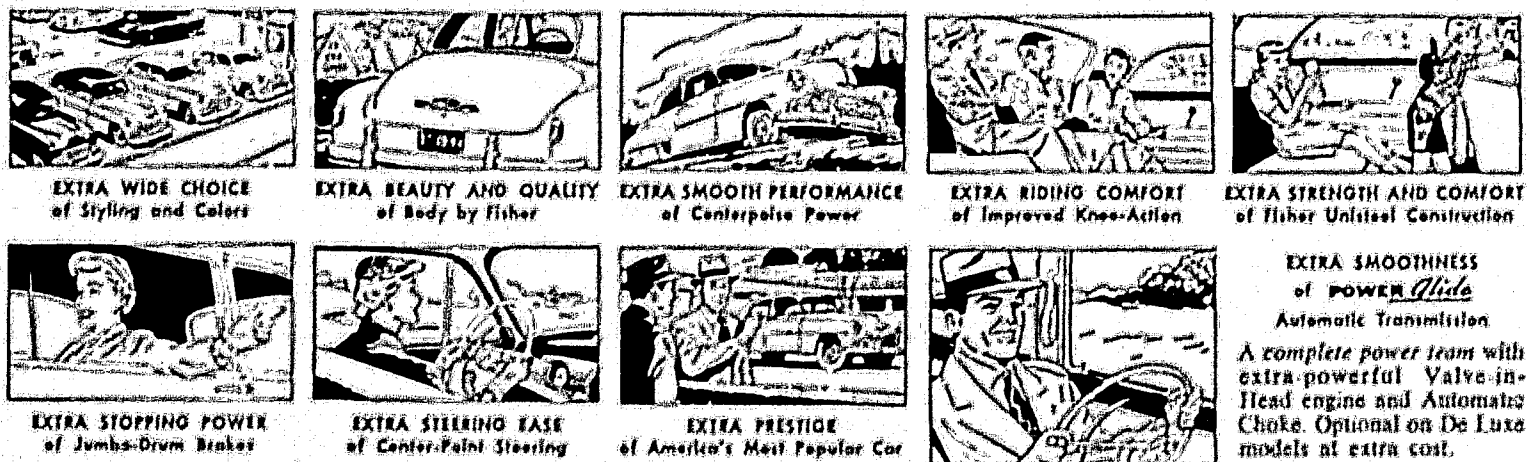
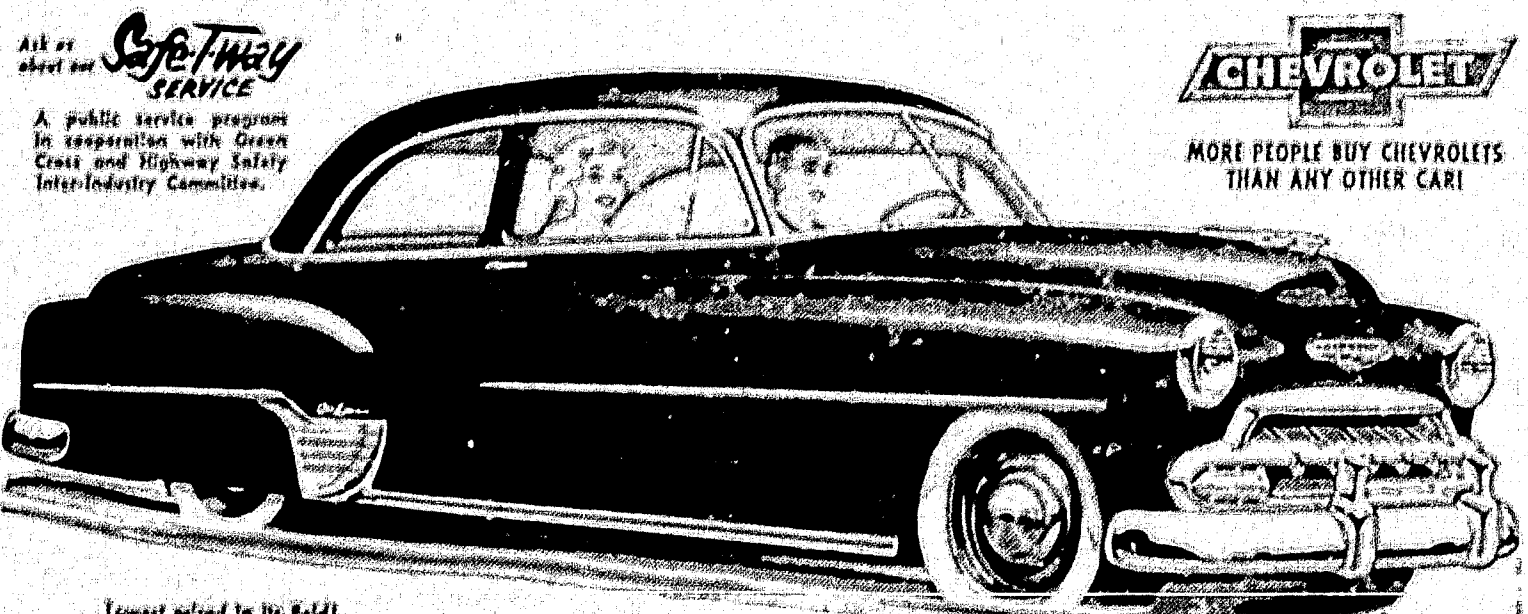
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TODAY'S meditation

THE WORLD'S MOST WIDELY USED DEVOTIONAL GUIDE

Thursday, July 17

The glory which thou gavest me I have given them; that they may be one, even as we are one. (John 17:21) Read Matthew 23:1-12.

JESUS prayed that the glory of His salvation would unite as one those who believed in Him, even as God and Jesus themselves are one. Here and there since then men have caught His vision. Too often, however, the emphasis has been on differences of mind at the expense of unity of faith.

During three and one-half years of internment in Malaya during World War II, a weekly discussion period developed in these periods several hundred laymen of various denominations met with ministers to discuss Christian denominations and how they came into being. Analysis revealed that what they held in common far outweighed the differences.

As a result of a resolve to work more in harmony after the war, a union theological college was founded in 1948. Faculty and students are drawn from several cooperating denominations. This college is living proof of the way Christians can work together to achieve results which none alone can find.

Prayer

Our heavenly Father, we thank Thee that all Christians own Thee as the God and Father of our risen Christ and Saviour. Help us to remember that His heart remains bruised and broken until we believe and act according to His prayer that we may "all be one." We pray in His name, Amen.

Thought For The Day

"One is your Master, even Christ; and all ye are brethren."

Hobart B. Ametutz, (Malaya)

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

BETHEL METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. David Hickland, Pastor
Miss Minnie Wilson, Church School Superintendent
Frank Lee, Pulpit Organist

Monday School meets at 9:45 each Monday as usual.
Church service at the Congregational Church.

WEST PARISH CHURCH
Charles L. Pendleton, Minister
Miss Jean Trubette, Choir Director
Miss Janice Lord, Organist

Services on Sunday, July 20, 1952.
The first service is an outdoor service during the summer. The service will be held in the West Parish Church in July and in the Methodist Church in August. A special service is scheduled to mark the anniversary.

At 10 a.m. Morning Worship. The third service is a special service on the anniversary of the church's founding. The service will be held in the West Parish Church in July and in the Methodist Church in August.

Friday evening, July 18, 8 p.m. Church service will meet at the church at 8 p.m. for a trip to the Sea Church.

WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH
Rev. Peter H. Goring, Pastor

Church service at 8 p.m. on Sunday, July 20, 1952. The service will be held in the West Bethel Union Church in July and in the Methodist Church in August. A special service is scheduled to mark the anniversary.

The service of Communion was celebrated on Sunday, July 13, 1952. The service was held in the West Bethel Union Church in July and in the Methodist Church in August.

The organ was played by Mrs. Eleanor Sawyer and she was assisted in the choir by Miss Mary Ann Sawyer.

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Baseball May Not Be Same But the Ball Is Better

Old timers can gripe that baseball today isn't what it used to be, but they can't have any complaints about the ball itself.

Back in the 1880's, some baseballs were so dead they couldn't be hit out of the infield. Others soared like an eagle and could turn an attempted bunt into a two base hit.

Not only that—they came apart. Steelways magazine tells the legend that once in the old days all three outfielders were called in to make one out. One caught the cover, the second wound up with the yarn while it was still in mid-air, and the third caught the melted rubber core.

The Steelways article tells how A. G. Spalding—a pitcher himself—started putting out the first modern baseballs back in 1876. They had a hard rubber core to give them bounce, they were wound tightly to keep them from being too lively, and the whole thing had a sturdy, strongly stitched cover. The National League—new in those days—adopted them right away.

Today the American League also uses Spalding baseballs, made under a subsidiary trademark, A. J. Reich. And today's balls are turned out almost entirely by machinery. Spalding's vice president in charge of production, W. T. Brown, says "steel has transformed Spalding's production line and is still transforming it at the company's new plant in Springfield, Mass., where new ways to do things faster—and better—with machinery than it used to do by hand."

As a matter of fact, if you look at the rows of machines in Spalding's plant at Chicopee, Mass., you might think they were making automobile parts or machine tools. But like most sports today, baseball relies on precision steel tools and dies.

Oceans' Abounding Life Is Subject of Research

Plankton—multiple billions of tiny plants and animals floating, swimming and pulsing through the seas—forms a veritable pastures upon which all animal life in the oceans depends eventually for sustenance.

While some species of plankton are easily seen by the naked eye, many others are microscopic in size. A billion of golf green water might well hold a million planktonic creatures—with plenty of room for more.

Whales consume plankton in the row, taking vast quantities into their throats through specially adapted strainers. So do dolphins. Big fish feed upon small fish which in turn have fed upon plankton.

Plankton is basic. It plays a vital part in the earth's food supply that the National Geographic Society is sponsoring for a second year a broad research program with the University of Miami to study these important but little-known organisms.

The Society and scientists of the University's Marine Laboratory have completed a year of observation during which the project's research ship "Megalopa" regularly took up stations off the coast of Florida to bring out sample nettings of plankton from various depths.

During each sailing systematic observations were made of water and light conditions, temperatures and other factors.

Under the direction of Dr. F. G. Walton Smith, director of the Marine Laboratory, and Dr. Hilary B. Moore, a top ranking oceanographer on the laboratory's staff, the return lists are preparing life histories of principal species among both the plant and animal types of plankton.

People of the Wilderness

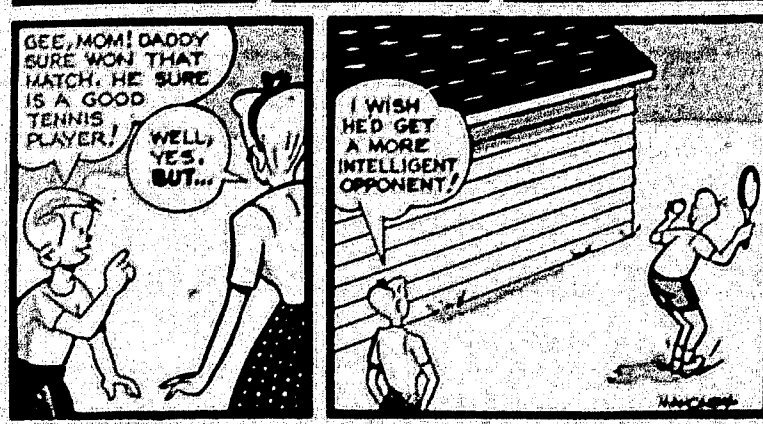
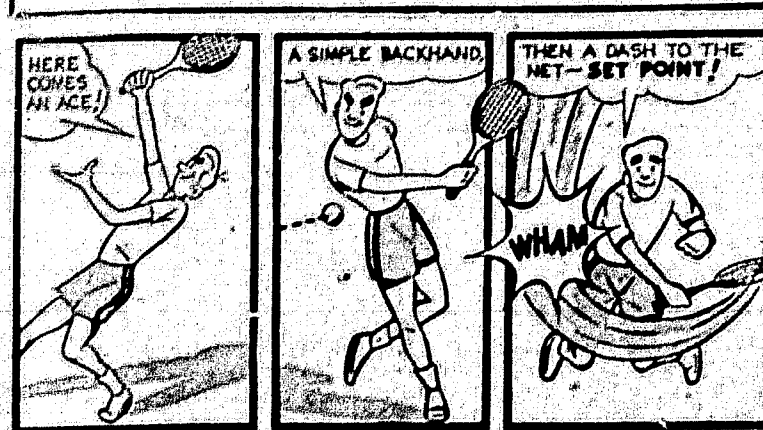
Although with thinly veiled contempt the Chinese call Mongols "people of the wilderness," the mounted Mongolian soldier is still the wonder, as he was once the terror, of the civilized world. So accustomed to the saddle that he has an unsteady, how-legged gait, he is a walking gall, the Mongol is a crack shot, a natural scout, and a contemptuous of danger even during modern-day attack from the air. Seven centuries ago Genghis Khan led hordes of such horsemen loose upon the world, and swept all before him from the Yellow Sea to the Adriatic. His grandson, Kublai Khan, became the master of the whole of China, India, Burma, Korea and much of Russia. Another great Khan, Tamerlane, subdued Iran, defeated the Turks and fired Moscow.

Soldier Students

The school roll has rung for a significant number of soldiers. It was revealed by a recent compilation of results of the Army's Troop Education Program. Consolidation of statistics for the first three months of 1951 revealed that Army personnel earned 3,351 fifth grade, 1,177 eighth grade certificates, 9,300 high school diplomas, and 1,700 completions of the first year of college. In addition, 47 Army officers completed two-year college requirements and 21 officers received baccalaureate degrees during the quarter-year period. Substantial increases were noted in the education activity program, particularly in the continental United States, with the Fifth Army recording a 100 per cent gain over the year ended December, 1950.

THE BAFFLES

By Mahoney



TICKET DISPENSER . . . Ticket selling machines which issue many types of train tickets went into operation recently at the New York Grand Central station.

Good health through good nutrition is a major goal of the Maine Extension Service food program. Circulars No. 144, "Food for Health," No. 206, "Signposts on the Road to Good Nutrition," No. 217, "Food Guide for Maine People," are some of the Extension Service publications on nutrition available free.

STATE OF MAINE

Oxford, Me., July 16, 1952.

Taken this ninth day of July, 1952 on execution dated the twentieth day of June, 1952, issued on a judgment rendered by the Superior Court for the county of Oxford, at a term thereof begin and held on the second Tuesday of June, 1952, to wit, on the eighteenth day of June, 1952, in favor of Marcus C. Sewart of Bethel in said County of Oxford, against M. Clayton Sewart of Colebrook, in the County of Coos and State of New Hampshire, for the sum of three hundred ninety-two dollars and sixty cents debt or damage and thirty-nine dollars and fifteen cents cost of suit, and will be sold at public auction on the premises in Woodstock in said County of Oxford to the highest bidder, on the fourteenth day of August, 1952, at two o'clock in the afternoon, the following described real estate and all the right, title and interest which the said M. Clayton Sewart has and had in and to the same on the fifteenth day of March, 1951, at seven o'clock in the afternoon, the time when the same was attached on the writ in the same suit, to wit: A certain lot or parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in Woodstock in the County of Oxford and State of Maine, being a part of lot numbered sixty-two (62) in said Woodstock, and bounded and described as follows: Situated on the westerly side of the road leading from the Baptist Church to the water station crossing in that part of Woodstock known as Bryant's Pond Village and beginning at a stake and stones on the westerly side of said road near a small maple tree at the southeasterly corner of said lot; thence northerly by said road twelve (12) rods to a stake and stones; thence westerly at right angles with said road six and two-thirds (6 2/3) rods; thence southerly parallel with the first mentioned roadway parallel with the second being the same premises conveyed to the said M. Clayton Sewart by M. Clayton Sewart by her deed dated January 31st, 1950 and recorded in Oxford County Registry of Deeds in Book 207, Page 17.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 16th day of July, 1952.

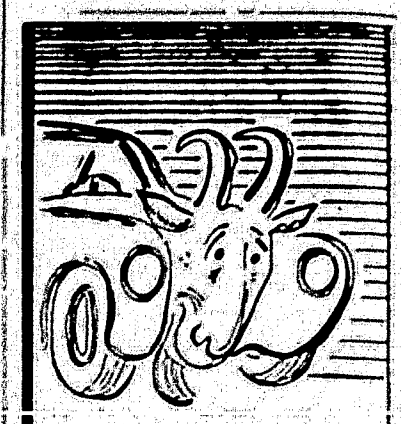
Albert J. Grover
Deputy Sheriff.

TO DEMONSTRATE SHEEP TRIMMING AT FAIR GROUND NEXT MONDAY AFTERNOON

Eam Dorrance, State Livestock Specialist, and his assistant, John Smiley, will give a sheep trimming demonstration to 4-H members enrolled in the Fat Lamb project, and others who are interested, at the Oxford County Fair Grounds in South Paris, Monday, July 21, at 2:00 p. m.

At suppertime there will be a picnic roast for all those who come and bring their own hotdogs. Milk will be furnished by Goodwin's Dairy.

4-H members carrying the Fat Lamb project should all plan to attend. Mr. Dorrance will tell the proper way of showing lambs and answer any questions.



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FOR SALE - Disc harrow, one horse McCormick moving machine, \$35. W. S. KINS, North Waterford.

We have a large assortment of Gates Vulcan Fan Belts, in belts for washing machines, pumps, refrigerators, etc. S. GARAGE.

FOR SALE - Horse rake, machine, horse, loose horse, WIN SWAIN.

FOR SALE - 16 MM. Sound projector with loud amplifier, model and number YSA45495, 50 to 60 lamp and motor 10 amp. AC. Equipment in AI condition are solicited. Bids will be July 23, OXFORD COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE, Building, South Paris.

FOR SALE - 200 16 wheel black pullets, RICHARD H. TEL. 23-23.

FOR SALE - 6 and 8 inch Clapboards, well-seasoned at reasonable prices. O. K. FORD, South Paris.

WEE FOLK SHOP. Children's clothing, sizes infants to 4. Baby gifts. Specialty—hand made.

FOR SALE - African Vase, plant food, Specializing soil, Geraniums, sweet cut flowers, glads, MRS. BYERS, Bethel, Maine.

FOR SALE CHEAP - One coat, size 14. One-raincoat, size 14. One pair slippers, size 7. All good as new. EVA MORRILL, Tel. Bethel.

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE - House on V Street, Bethel. Ten rooms, of closets, two fireplaces, with heatlifter, built-in book modern kitchen, large parlor and a table, cemented, hot water heat, 10 acre, three good house lots. Available immediately. TEL. 74, Bethel.

FOR SALE - Log Cabin, 2 rooms, running water and electricity, 1 acre of land, Park Street. Inquire 75-3, Bethel.

WANTED - Small size 24-inch. Preferably 24-inch. F. 75-2.

BOARDS WANTED - VIRGIE McILLIN, Bridge Street.

WANTED - Yellow birch, maple and ash logs, either sawed or delivered. Also cement and blocks for sale. FOREST DUCTS CO., Locke Mills, Maine. Phone 128-24.

WANTED - Live Poultry or Eggs. Highest prices. Drop truck will call. J. D. BALL, Harrison, Maine.

TO LET

BEGINNING JULY 18 my 4000 Songo Pond will be available. MRS. L. W. RAMS.

FEMALE HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED - Wanted person for general housework, companion for convalescent. A. KASUN & SONS.

MISCELLANEOUS

Leave Shoes at the Bethel shoe repair and clothes to be cleaned, Wednesday, and FRIDAY. CLEVERLY AND DYER, Bethel, Maine.

LEAVE SHOES AT THE BETHEL shoe repair, RUCKENBACH SHOE SHOP, Gorham, N. H.

WILLIS WINNIE . . . British Prime Minister Winston Churchill has surrendered power to the powers to Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden (above).

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CLASSIFIED AD SECTION

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We have a large assortment of Gates Vulco Fan Belts, Industrial belts for washing machines, water pumps, refrigerators, etc. STEVE'S GARAGE, 29-36p.

FOR SALE - Horse rake, mowing machine, horse, loose hay, EDWIN SWAIN, 28-29p.

FOR SALE - 16 MM Sound and silent projector with loud speaker. Ampco sound. Model and serial number YSA45495, 50 to 60 cycle. Lamp and motor 10 amp. AC or DC. Equipment in AI condition. Bids are solicited. Bids will be opened July 23. OXFORD COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE, Masonic building, South Paris, 29.

FOR SALE - 200 16 weeks old black pullets, RICHARD HOULE, Tel. 23-28.

FOR SALE - 6 and 8 inch Pine Clapboards, well-seasoned lumber at reasonable prices. O. K. CLIFFORD, South Paris, 27p-1f.

WEE FOLK SHOP. Clothing, sizes infants to 4. Baby shower gifts. Specialty—hand made things, 451f.

FOR SALE - African Violets; Azalea pot. Plant food, Special potting soil. Geraniums, sweet peas, cut flowers, gladioli. MRS. C. C. BYERS, Bethel, Maine, 34f.

FOR SALE CHEAP - One raincoat, size 14. One raincoat, size 12. One dress, size 14. One pair gym sneakers, size 7. All good as new. MISS EVA MORRILL, Tel. 141-12, Bethel.

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE - House on Vernon Street, Bethel. Ten rooms, plenty of closets, two fireplaces - one with heat, built-in bookcases, modern kitchen, large pantry, garage and stable, cemented basement, hot water heat, 10 acres with three good house lots. Available immediately. TEL. 74, Bethel. 21f.

FOR SALE - Log Cabin, 2 large rooms, running water and electric lights, 1 acre of land. Paradise Street. Inquire 75-3, Bethel. 23f.

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MISCELLANEOUS

Leave Shoes at the Bethel Spa for repair and clothes to clean Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. RUGEL CLEANERS AND DYERS, 441f.

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Lessons to Learn

A STORY of the Orient tells of a youth who asked a sage for help against a powerful chieftain whose enemy he had incurred. After luring him to a distant mountain the sage shackled him to a large stone and apparently left him to his fate. Believing himself betrayed, the youth found he could inch the stone along, and he ultimately gained strength enough to walk off with it. His first object was to wreak vengeance on the sage, who, however, when faced with treachery, pointed out to the youth that he had now gained sufficient strength to deal with his enemy himself.

Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science, writes in the textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" (p. 574), "The very circumstance, which your suffering sense deems wrathful and afflictive, Love can make an angel entertained unaware." And in "The First Church of Christ, Scientist, and Miscellaneous" she says (p. 149), "Remember, that cannot be brought into no condition, he it ever so severe, where Love has not been before thee and where its tender lesson is not awaiting thee."

Perhaps we have come to the point where, like the children of Israel at the Red Sea, we are confronted with what seems an impassable barrier, and yet we can neither remain where we are nor retreat. Instead of yielding to discouragement, this is the time for us to learn more of the presence, power, and unimpeded activity of God, His compassion, tenderness, and beneficence. The Scriptures furnish one example after another. To the children of Israel at the Red Sea Moses said (Exodus 14:13), "Fear ye not, stand still, and see the salvation of the Lord, which he will shew to you to day."

We need to "stand still, and see the salvation of the Lord" instead of becoming alarmed when confronted with frightening situations. For it is only when we can bring ourselves humbly to lay down our human will and human planning that we discern God's plan for us and allow His beneficent will to function in our behalf.

That tender love which lies at the core of all being will abide with us through all trials and tribulations, to comfort and deliver. As the beautiful words of the Bible express it (Psalm 138:11): "If I make my bed in hell, behold, thou art there. If I take the wings of the morning, and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea; even there shall thy hand lead me, and thy right hand shall hold me. If I say, Surely the darkness shall cover me; even the night shall be light about me." —The Christian Science Monitor.

BETHEL PEANUTS WIN FIRST

Teddy White, youngest member of Bethel's newest baseball family, pitched the Peanuts to a win in their first game. He gave up 4 hits, no runs, and struck out 19 while his teammates were collecting 9 hits and 9 runs. The South Paris Little League team played well until the sixth when they were scored on five times. Gerald Smith was the big batter for Bethel. He made 3 for 4, one of which was a home run with Teddy White on base. Everyone fielded well. Richie Roberts caught, White pitched. Sumner played first, Gary Hagen second, Melvins Jodrey short, George Hagen third and the fielders were Smith, Emory, Bean, Kittingred, Kellogg and Noyes. The boys executed a double play 1-3-4.

A return game is to be played Saturday in South Paris. The team is to leave from the Legion Hall at 12:30.

LIVES DEPEND ON PRACTICE OF BICYCLE SAFETY RULES

"One of the best ways to teach a youngster the importance of obeying bicycle safety rules is to deny him the privilege of using his bike," the Maine State Police Division of Traffic and Safety tells us.

"It is definitely true that the youngster's life depends upon his willingness to observe safety rules and regulations," continued the Division.

"The realization that he cannot use his bicycle, should he fail to obey these rules, will prove to be an effective aid in influencing him toward safe bicycle conduct."

SPORTS CORNER

WEEK'S SLATE IN P. T. L.

JULY

20—Locke Mills at Rumford Point
Buckfield at Bryant Pond
Bethel at West Paris
24—Locke Mills at Buckfield
Bryant Pond at West Paris
Rumford Point at Bethel

FIVE HOMERS MARK 10-7

POND WIN OVER BETHEL A. C. Bethel scored two runs in the last of the first on Sunday against Bryant Pond at Thurston Field as the Bethel team showed signs of snapping out of its season-long doldrums.

The Pond tied the score on three hits in the second and assumed a 3-2 lead on a walk, a single and an infield throwing error in the third. Another Pond run was tallied in the sixth on two hits and an outfield error.

Bethel took the lead 5-4 in the last of the sixth when Bennett and Buster Robertson sandwiched homers around a Pond error.

Bryant Pond took the lead again 7-5 without benefit of a hit on two Bethel miscues, two bases on balls, a fielder's choice and a passed ball.

Bethel quickly knotted the count on home runs by Stan Merrill and Gary Morgan.

Bryant Pond clinched the game in the first of the ninth on two singles, a fielder's choice and Stan Farrar's four-baser.

Journeying to Buckfield tonight, Thursday, and to West Paris on Sunday, the A. C. will play next at Thurston on Tuesday evening when they play-off the tie game with Locke Mills. Next Thursday they meet Rumford Point in a 6 o'clock game.

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Bryant Pond	5	1	1	3	0
Thurston	3	3	0	0	3
Andrews	4	2	1	1	0
Whitman	5	2	3	0	1
Farrar	4	0	0	16	0
Mills	5	1	2	7	1
Wing	3	1	2	0	1
Parham	4	0	1	0	1
Horne	3	0	0	0	2
McIntosh	3	0	0	0	2
Donah	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	10	10	27	13

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Bethel A. C.	5	2	2	10	1
Bennett	4	1	1	2	0
Brown	3	2	2	3	0
Robertson	5	0	0	2	1
Kendall	4	0	2	1	3
Baker	3	0	0	0	0
Baker	5	1	0	2	1
Merrill	3	0	0	2	1
W. Robertson	3	0	0	2	1
C. Morgan	4	1	1	4	1
B. Robertson	4	0	0	2	2
Totals	49	7	10	27	0

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BETHEL TIES LOCKE MILLS 5-5

IN P. T. L. GAME

The Bethel A. C. tied with Locke Mills 5-5 at Thurston Field last Thursday evening.

John Hathaway hit a home run for Locke Mills in the fourth frame which left fielder Stan Merrill at dropped over the fence. Merrill hit a home run in the sixth as a big blow in a four run game-tying Bethel rally.

This game will be re-played at Thurston Field next Tuesday at 6 p. m.

	ab	r	h	po	a
Locke Mills	3	1	1	1	2
C. McIntosh	4	1	1	2	0
L. Dunham	4	0	0	0	0
Robinson	4	1	3	2	0
P. Seames	4	0	1	0	1
Thurston	4	0	0	3	3
Corkum	4	2	2	1	0
Hathaway	3	0	0	0	0
R. Seames	3	0	1	0	0
A. Jordan	2	0	1	0	0
Totals	32	5	9	21	6

	ab	r	h	po	a
Bethel A. C.	4	0	1	0	0
Brown	3	1	0	2	4
G. Witter	3	0	0	1	1
Huer	4	0	0	0	1
Bennett	4	1	1	1	0
Hoyt	2	1	1	0	1
Merrill	3	1	2	2	0
C. Morgan	3	1	1	0	0
G. White	3	0	1	0	0
A. Witter	1	0	0	0	1
Bailey	2	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	5	8	21	15

Locke Mills 010 150 0-5
Bethel A. C. 100 004 0-5
(Seven innings—called darkness)

Errors: A. Jordan, Merrill 2, Huer 2BH, C. Morgan, Thurston, Hathaway 3H, Hathaway, Merrill, H. A. Witter 1, Bailey 1, Thurston 7, H. A. Witter 5 to 4th in play, Bailey, 3 in 2d, PB, Corkum 2, Umpire York and White.

The three major programs in home economics of the Maine Extension Service are clothing, foods and nutrition, and home management.

BETHEL LEGION WINS COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

The Bethel Junior Legion baseball team won two more games this week and clinched the Oxford County championship. Playing the top-notch, clean baseball the "every fan likes to see it" defeated Fryeburg 4-1 on Friday and South Paris 6-0 on Tuesday. Unfortunately very few folk from Bethel made the effort to attend and the South Paris game may well be the last that the team plays here this season. It will advance into district play now, meeting the winners of Franklin and Androscoggin counties.

Bethel 4-Fryeburg 1

Arthur Buckman pitched an excellent game on Friday night. He can always be depended upon for his control. He faced 24 batters, gave up four hits, and yielded one run. Behind him the team fielded well and played errorlessly. Corkum, Gene White, Rolfe and Merle White were the hitters. Rolfe and Merle got two each, and one of Merle's was a double.

Throughout the game Buckman was always in control, he worked easily and smoothly.

Summary:

Bethel: 4 runs, 6 hits, no errors.

Fryeburg: 1 run, 4 hits, 2 errors.

Bethel 6-South Paris 0

Captain Skippy Melville pitched a no-hitter on Tuesday. His work on the rubber was easy but workmanlike. He faced 24 batters, two reached base on balls and one on an infield error. He accounted for the sixth run himself when he stole home after getting on by a clean angle and by stealing second. He was advanced by Dottie Parthen's single. Then from third he came in on a fast that he nearly beat the ball.

The hitters were Merle White, 2 for 3, Vern Corkum, 3 for 4, Gene White, a double, Rolfe, Melville, and Parthen.

Those fans who attended are all on one side and are excited as the success of the team, Buddy Noyes, the hit-boy, works as hard as anyone in chasing balls and thus saving the team a lot of expense. An average of five balls a game, at \$2.50 each are lost in play because of the underbrush surrounding the field. To date, the team has used three dozen and needs an angel to carry them away from the field. For every contest to be the underbrush, Larry Tibbo's seems to be head cheerer and his enthusiasm infects all of the players. Many others help and each may feel that he has contributed something memorable to the lives of the boys of Bethel.

Summary:

Bethel: 4 runs, 6 hits, 1 error.

So Paris: No runs, no hits, 2 errors.

CONTROL CORN BEETLE NOW, SAYS PAULSON

Mexican bean beetles are damaging snap and dry bean plants in many sections of Maine now, reports Robert W. Paulson, Extension Service vegetable specialist. Home gardeners should use rotenone dust to control the beetle as soon as signs of its presence are seen. Plants should be covered thoroughly, including the undersides of the leaves. Commercial growers should consult their county agents for information on materials to use on larger bean acreages.

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EASY DOES IT
TO PICK OUT quality celery, select stalks of medium length and thick stems free from damage. The exterior should be smooth with fresh looking leaves. Limp or stringy stalks with dry brown tops should be avoided.

Good cauliflower has a creamy white color, is well trimmed, firm and is firm. Outer leaves should be fresh and green. Avoid those with dark spots or yellowed leaves as this indicates age.

Fresh, fine cabbage has no discolored veins, and is well trimmed. Lift it to test for heaviness. It should feel heavier than it looks.

Cracked or water-soaked carrots will not give you the most for your money; neither will those which have green on top of the carrot. The color should be a bright, fresh orange, and the skin smooth, firm and clean.

RECIPES OF THE WEEK

Toasted Oat Cookies (Makes 3 dozen)

1/2 cup shortening
1/2 cup granulated sugar
1/2 cup brown sugar, firmly
2 eggs, unbeaten
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 cup sifted flour
1/2 teaspoon soda
1 cup shredded coconut, toasted
1 cup rolled oats, toasted

Combine shortening, sugars, eggs, salt and vanilla and beat thoroughly. Sift flour and soda together, add to first mixture with coconut and oats; blend together thoroughly. Drop level tablespoons on greased baking sheets. Bake in a moderate (350°F.) oven for 10 to 15 minutes.

If fresh mushrooms are exposed too long to strong light, they will lose weight and wither. Brown mushrooms are more flavorful than white ones.

Green onions at their best are tender and crisp with fresh green tops. Avoid those with damaged tops or marks as these indicate age.

There are many different kinds of okra. Some are two inches long while others are four. Some are green, others are whitish green. Some are smooth, others are grooved. All should have fresh pods that snap easily.

Armed with a pencil, Somerset, and Wadsworth have special plans for young farmers. Through meetings, discussions, demonstrations and tours they are teaching and studying agriculture.

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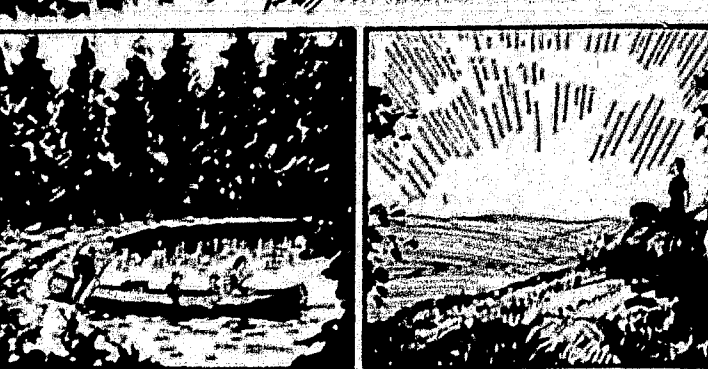
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Auto Insurance Rates To Increase

New automobile liability insurance rates for Maine were announced July 13 by the National Bureau of Casualty Underwriters, effective July 23. This revision is part of a countrywide movement to bring the rates for this form of insurance into line with the current accident frequency and cost of claims incurred by insured motorists.

The revisions apply to rates for basic limits coverage, which means protection up to \$25,000 for bodily injury for one person, up to \$10,000 for bodily injury resulting from one accident, and up to \$5,000 for property damage.

The rate changes are not uniform throughout the state but vary by territory depending upon the loss record of each such territory. For private passenger cars the revision results in rate increases ranging from a minimum of 15 to a maximum of 117 for bodily injury and property damage combined, according to the Bureau. For most classes of cars the increase for bodily injury and property damage combined ranges from a minimum of 12 to a maximum of 113.

William Leale, general manager of the National Bureau of Casualty Underwriters, made the following statement in explanation of the revised rates:

"The rate increases are made necessary by mounting accident frequency and increasing claim costs. As to the latter, there has been a steady upward rise in the average cost of claims with no evidence of any apparent leveling off in the foreseeable future. Claims settled in 1951, for instance, were 70 percent above the 1941 level for bodily injury, and 150 percent above for property damage.

"This adverse trend in automobile liability experience is the result of the economic inflationary spiraling the effects of which are continuing to inflate the cost of automobile liability claims. Despite the continued rise that has taken place in the last few years in automobile liability rates, it is still a fact that such rates have not increased as rapidly as in the same degree as the increases in the cost of practically everything that affects each rate. A new automobile for instance, cost approximately 150 percent more than it did in 1941. Repair costs are up 150 percent and hospital costs 150 percent. All of this the thinking increases in the frequency of motor vehicle accidents and the steady upward trend of court and jury awards in liability cases, and this has a general explanation of why insurance companies require higher premiums for protecting motorists against the disastrous economic results of their automobile accidents these days.

"Automobile accidents continue to increase. According to reports from the Maine State Police there were 1,000 automobile accidents in Maine in 1951 as compared with 1,491 in 1941, an increase of 11 percent.

"One of all this, however, there emerges one fact that should have a very sobering effect on all motorists and their driving habits. It is simply that automobile liability insurance rates don't keep pace with the cost of the damage that can be done to the victim of an accident that doesn't

LOCKE MILLS.

Mrs. June Swan, Corres.

Word has been received that "Bud" Howe has been chosen for the Regimental Drill team due to the handling of a rifle. The results of his Company's I. Q. tests were the highest in the history of the Bainbridge Naval base. His address is as follows: Clarence W. Howe, SA 421-39-04, Co. 490 (H) Bldg. 25, Regt. 2, USNTO, Bainbridge, Maryland.

Robert "Pop" Mason, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Mason who enlisted in the Air Force shortly after graduating from Woodstock High School is stationed at Sampson. His address is: A1B Robert Mason, AS 11241789, 3655th Tgn. Sqd., Flight 1774, Sampson AFB, Sampson, N. Y.

Word has been received that Charles Mason Jr. will graduate from Field Artillery school Aug. 8th at Fort Sill, Oklahoma. His address is: Pvt. Charles B. Mason, RA11241023, Battery E, 3rd F. A. Tgn. Battalion, 1st F. A. Tgn. Group, F. A. R. T. Co., Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Tsgt. Harry Swanson reports back to Camp Devens, July 16th, after spending a leave with his wife and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Green of Seabrook, N. H., are visiting Mrs. Mabel Farrington and Mr. and Mrs. James Ring.

Miss Bertha Kimball is spending the week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Tom McMillan of Dorchester, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunbar of Braintree, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cummings are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Fri. July 11th, at the Rumford Hospital.

Mrs. Mabel Farrington returned last week after visiting with relatives in Rumford for several days. Francis Palmer, U. S. Army, is spending a 20 day furlough with his sister, Mrs. Rose Guy, and family.

Arthur Coolidge is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. Keith Ring and children, Meredith, Kenneth, and Alan are visiting with Mrs. Eva Swan and family and Mr. and Mrs. James Ring and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Coolidge of Philadelphia, Pa., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coolidge and family.

Mrs. Phillip Cummings was hostess at a Stanley Party Thursday night with Mrs. Emory Vail of Newry as demonstrator. Those attending were: Mrs. Bertha Davis, Mrs. Elsie Bennett, Mrs. June Swan, Mrs. Marion Farrand, Mrs. Elizabeth Marshall, Mrs. Ada Balentine, and Mrs. Fern Howland.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ring and Mrs. Keith Ring and family were in Bethel Sunday visiting Mrs. Sam Allen and daughter, Ruthie.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Marshall of Norway were Tuesday evening guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Marshall. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leach visited their daughter Barbara, at camp in Casco Bay, Sunday.

MAGALLOWAY

Mrs. Beale Harvey, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederickson from Bridgeport, Conn., have moved here. They plan to always make their home here as Mr. Frederickson has retired from business.

Ewen Cameron is much improved in health, is able to go out in a boat fishing by having someone push the boat out from shore for him.

Miss Martha Bennett is cooking at a sporting camp in the Rangeley Lakes region.

The Reverend Arnold Todter preached in the Magalloway Church Sunday, July 14th. There was quite a large congregation present.

Mrs. Bertha West is still quite ill at her home.

Vacation Church School starts Monday, July 14 at the Wilson's Mills Church. The teachers are Mr. Duke, Mrs. Beverly Cameron and Mrs. Beale Harvey. It will last two weeks. Miss Cyndell Mann will be the grantist.

Clayton Wilson is very ill at the home of his sister, Mrs. Nora Bennett.

The people here were very sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Eva West of Bethel last week. She was a very good, kind woman and was loved and respected by all who knew her.

Richard Turner is getting logs

for a camp to be between his father's and grandmother's places in Wentworth Location. He plans to be married soon to Miss Barbara Tschelle of Berlin, N. H.

NORTH NEWRY

Mrs. Roy Tripp, Corres.

Mrs. Alvin Gross and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carson, Danville, Vt.

Mrs. Daisy Morton has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Richard Brown at Bethel.

Mrs. William Carey and children of Framingham, Center, Mass., called on Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tripp, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Moore of Rumford were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morton.

Mary Jane Carey was an overnight guest of Miss Suzanne Wight Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Auger, Sr., held a Stanley Party at her camp, Tuesday night.

Malcolm Gross was in Portland Monday.

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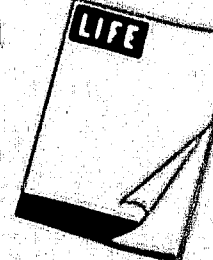
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Years Ago

15 YEARS AGO

Over 600 registered for gasoline.

At a meeting at the Eastland Hotel, Portland, a Portland Gould Club was formed of Gould graduates living in Portland. Elwood P. Ireland spoke on Pioneering in Education.

Deaths: Alton C. Wheeler.

20 YEARS AGO

William Wright, working for the Maine Publicity Bureau was taking a census of out-of-state cars passing through at the foot of Church St. The work was to continue through August.

Bethel's baseball team lost three in a row: To West Paris 13-0, Loy. all at Lovell 2-1, West Paris at West Paris 13-5.

Channon Baker broke the former record of climbing Mt. Washington by 57 seconds. His time was 12 minutes 24 seconds from the Glen House to the summit. He drove a Graham 5.

Deaths: Clarence Alley, Joseph Bernard, Fred Proctor, Burton Hutchinson.

25 YEARS AGO

Over 150 were registered for the Oxford County Scout Camp at Locke Mills. Following were the directors: Harold C. Perham, West Paris; Leslie Ferguson, Rumford; Donald Perham, West Paris; Carlisle Andrews, Lincoln; Charles Leonard, Andover; Dr. Willard, Bryant Pond; and Dr. I. H. Wright, Bethel.

Hall's Camps opened at Howard Pond, Hanover. A shore dinner was enjoyed.

Masonic and Eastern Star Lodges of Bethel, Gorham, Bethel, and Bryant Pond, their families and invited guests held a field day at Bryant Pond.

Headquarters Company 1st Bat., 103 Inf., Maine National Guard went to Camp Devens for 15 days field training.

Fred Clark was erecting a house on Elm St. now occupied by Clayton Fossett.

Death: Daniel M. Stearns.

30 YEARS AGO

The Chapman homestead in Mayville was sold to Mrs. Lathrop.

Death: John B. Chapman.

Mr. Stearns was buying a car and paying 10¢ per pound.

A party of 16 went from West Bethel to attend a dramatic entertainment. They traveled in a hay rack drawn by four horses.

WMFA HOLDS JOINT MEETING

WMFA MONDAY EVENING

A joint meeting of the Western Maine Farmers Association and the Cumberland County Volunteer Firemen's Association was held at the Norway fire station Monday evening, a banquet preceded the meeting.

President Charles of the WMFA and President Hale of the WMFA held the meeting to order at 8:00 a. m. by the records of the previous meetings of both associations.

Minutes for a given address of someone which was responded to by Arthur E. of Fryburg.

At the house of Mrs. of South Portland and of inspections which take place when an oil tanker reaches port in that city. He also talked briefly on oil fires.

Deputy Forest Commissioner Arthur Wilcox Augusta told of experiences in fighting forest fires in the vicinity of the Canadian border. He also told of recent heavy thunder storms in Acadia which had started forest fires.

The group then turned their attention to William White of Bethel.

Mr. White, who lost his right eye in the line of duty about 20 years ago, told of the training of the dog, a beautiful black and white Bull Terrier. He narrated several incidents which he has encountered since becoming blind. He put the dog through her paces with the group looking on.

Mr. White also told of a recent trip to England and France with his family.

Thirty-two couples were represented at the dinner by 125 members. Addressed by Arthur E. of Fryburg.

At Bethel July 15 by Rev. Wm. E. Parker, John Irving Brock of New Brunswick, N. J. and Miss Amy Benson of Bethel, N. J.

In Norway, July 4, by Rev. Father Brady, Marie H. McNamee of Bethel and Miss Marion Stevens of Norway.

At Bethel July 14, Frank O. Robinson, aged 64 years.

In Norway July 13, Frank W. Brown, aged 64 years.

In Lincoln July 12, Fred Stuart, aged 64 years.

In Lincoln July 11, Fred Stuart, aged 64 years.

In Lincoln July 10, Fred Stuart, aged 64 years.

In Lincoln July 9, Fred Stuart, aged 64 years.

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In Lincoln July 7, Fred Stuart, aged 64 years.

In Lincoln July 6, Fred Stuart, aged 64 years.

In Lincoln July 5, Fred Stuart, aged 64 years.

In Lincoln July 4, Fred Stuart, aged 64 years.

In Lincoln July 3, Fred Stuart, aged 64 years.



MR. AND MRS. RONALD O. KENDALL (Marguerite Cotton) of Bethel, whose wedding occurred at Locke Mills on Sunday, June 15.



RICKY ALAN SEAMES, six months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Seames of Bethel, grandson of Mrs. Laura Seames and Mr. and Mrs. Earle Bacon of Locke Mills.

LUCKY CLOVER 4-H CLUB

The Lucky Clover Club of East Bethel held its twenty-third meeting at the home of Ethel Haines, Monday, July 14.

The club held the business meeting with Mrs. Haines as a guest. Following the business meeting Mrs. Haines gave us a demonstration on freezing "We froze peas".

For refreshments we had an ice cream soda made of vanilla ice cream and home-made root beer which was very much enjoyed. Sandra Olson, club reporter.

The Club-L. Club will meet Friday night for a trip to the ice cream social at Greenwood. Members will meet at 6:15 at the church and away to the social.

The next meeting will be held at North Waterford, positive date to be announced.

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Miss Minnie Wilson and Mrs. Muriel Pauli will leave Saturday to attend Methodist Conference for Lay-Leaders and Sunday School Superintendents at Winthrop.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards and children, Johnnie, Linda, Charles and Barbara, of Clermont, Fla., left Friday after several days visit with Mrs. Edwards' father, Charles W. Merrill. They will spend some time with relatives in Meredith, N. H., Lexington and Arlington, Mass., before returning home the last of the month.

Brownie Troop Two enjoyed a wading party at Lincoln Merrill's camp in Mason Saturday. Present were Lorenda Freeman, Claire Berry, Donna Rice, Nikki McMullin, Carolyn Chapman, Dixie Lee Brown, Marjane Brown, Christine Baker, Polly Hattat, Mary Ellen Willard, Jean Waterhouse, Victoria Rich, Linda Brown. The troop was accompanied by Mrs. George Parsons, leader, Mrs. Lincoln Merrill, and Miss Kaye McMullin.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rows spent the week end at Old Orchard Beach.

Jeffrey Hutchins went to Boscawen Camps Friday where he will spend some time.

Mrs. Wesley Wheeler who is a patient at St. Louis hospital, Berlin, is slowly improving.

Mrs. W. J. Upson returned to Orland Tuesday after several days stay at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bean spent the week end in Rockland at Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haines.

Mrs. Daisy Morton was a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Richard Brown, and family recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Robertson came from Rockwood to attend the funeral of Frank O. Robertson.

Clifford Hillier of the Gould Academy faculty is attending the summer session at the University of Maine.

Mrs. David Thompson is engaged in private tutoring in Westport, Conn., several weeks this summer.

Mrs. Norline Dresser of West Palm Beach, Fla., is spending two months with Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Brooks.

The Shaker Sisters will hold an all day sale of fancy work and candy at Bethel Inn on Saturday, July 19.

Mrs. Everett McKenna and son of Rumford spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Garber.

Edmond Vachon and Roderick McMullin arrived home Saturday after spending two weeks at Camp Drum, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kelly and children, Wanda and Jan, of Walcott, Ind. visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keniston last week.

Homer Smith Sr. returned from the CMG Hospital last Friday. He is confined to the bed at his home on the Songo road.

Miss Ruth Donahue and Alan Myette of Newton Center, Mass., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Donahue and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bean have moved to the Davis apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dexter will leave Friday for Buffalo, N. Y. Miss Dorothy Fish, R. N., will return with them for a vacation.

The Couples Club of the Methodist Church enjoyed a picnic supper and social evening at Littlefield's Beach, South Pond, Saturday.

Captain and Mrs. Sidney Dyke are now at Pope Air Force Base, N. C. Their address is Capt. S. A. Dyke, 5th Radar Cal. Unit, Pope AFB, N. C.

Mrs. Mertle Chase of Colebrook is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Bean, and Mrs. Clayton Elbro of Connecticut is also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bean.

Mrs. Martin Soule who has been living the past 20 years in Portland has returned to Bethel to make her home with her sister, Mary Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Doane Clark of Merchantsville, N. Y., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis and attended the Stroud-Penner wedding Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Garber of Stoneham, Mass., have been spending several days with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Garber.

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